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Dear Sir:

Reference United States Patent and Trade Mark Office (USPTO) January 3, 2004 letter to self wherein is stated the need to revise my one sentence claim to my patent application Number 10/076/784, Reducing tread separation in tires "to separate claims per telephone conversation with your representative as follows:

Claim 1. A new process for using laser pierced ragged edge holes in the plate of and adding a pulsed sonic generator in the back of the spinneret through which viscous ^{polymer} fluid flows produce continuous synthetic filaments with surface irregularities which are then spun into yarns and cords used in tire construction.

Claim 2. The new process of claim 1 for producing continuous synthetic filaments with surface irregularities increased cord-to-rubber bonding in tires thus significantly increasing tire life and reducing tread separation in tires especially when operated at higher speeds over bumpy roads.

Claim 3. Yarns made by the production line changes in claim 1 above to produce continuous synthetic filaments with surface irregularities do not have to be cut into linear and wool lengths and again respun into yarns for textiles with wool and linear like consistencies at reduced costs.

Yours truly,

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